

Abstract of the Disclosure

**Nicotine salts having improved taste, process for their
5 preparation and their method of use**

Salts formed from nicotine and anion-forming sweeteners,
for example acesulfame or acesulfame-K, in a molar ratio of
10 1:1 or 1:2, in which case the sweetener molecules can be
identical or different, are distinguished by a pleasant
sweet taste which masks the nicotine taste even after a
long residence time in the mouth, and are therefore
suitable for producing preparations, in particular chewing
15 gum, chewing tablets or compressed compositions, which can
be used for oral administration of nicotine, for example in
withdrawal from smoking.